

## REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

**Title of Publication:** Walk Hard: The Dewey Cox Story (Theatrical Version & Director's Cut)

**Other Known Title:** Walk Hard American Cox: The Unbearably Long, Self-Indulgent Director's Cut

**Medium:** Blu-ray Disc

**Director/Author:** Jake Kasdan

**Producer/Publisher:** Judd Apatow, et al.

**Country of Origin:** United States

**Language:** English

**Applicant:** The Film and Video Labelling Body Inc.

**Distributor:** Sony Pictures

<b>Classification:</b>	Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 13 years.
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**Descriptive Note:** Drug use, offensive language and sexual themes.

**Display Conditions:** Nil

**Date of entry in Register:** 20 June 2008

**Date of direction to issue a label:** 19 June 2008

**OFLC No:** 801081

**Unexcised version of publication:**

	Components	Running time
<b>Menu:</b>	Play Movie Languages Scene Selection Special Features	

<b>Feature:</b>	Walk Hard American Cox: The Unbearably Long, Self-Indulgent Director's Cut	120.19
	Walk Hard: The Dewey Cox Story (Theatrical Version)	96.00
<b>Other timed components:</b>	Walk Hard Introduction Notice	0.20
	Full Song Performances (x6)	16.58
	Deleted & Extended Scenes (x3)	7.42
	Line-O-Rama	6.22
	The Music Of Walk Hard	16.37
	The Real Dewey Cox	14.05
	Sony Pictures Notice	0.14
	Warning Notice	0.05
	Copyright Notice	0.05
<b>Other components:</b>	Commentary	
<b>Total running time:</b>		278.47

**Excisions:** No Excisions Recommended

**Reasons for excisions:**

Not Applicable

**Summary of reasons for classification:**

The DVD entitled *Walk Hard: The Dewey Cox Story (Theatrical Version & Director's Cut)* is classified as:

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The disc contains a feature which is said to be the director's cut of the 35mm film *Walk Hard: The Dewey Cox Story*, previously examined and classified by the Office of Film and Literature Classification. The film version (OFLC No. 703158) was classified as "Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 13 years", with the descriptive note "Drug use, offensive language and sexual themes". This decision was registered on 14 January 2008. The DVD version of the feature is approximately 24 minutes longer than the film version. Any difference in the main feature is difficult to locate, but appears to comprise extended dialogue and longer song performances.

The additional material consists of six full song performances, three *Deleted & Extended Scenes*, a compilation of memorable dialogue lines from the feature—*Line-O-Rama*, and a behind-the-scenes look at the music and personality of Dewey Cox. The DVD also contains a number of entertainment and warning notices. These components do not provide grounds to alter the classification given to the original publication.

